



# THE Gleichen Call



Twelfth Year, No. 11

GLEICHEN, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1918

\$1.0 Per Year

## Pte. W. J. Dodds Is Back From the Front

Pte. W. J. Dodds returned from the war to Gleichen on Saturday and says he is mighty glad to get back to his wife and family and friends. It will be two years in August since he left for overseas and most of the time was spent in France building light railways and taking supplies and ammunition to the front lines of the battlefields, which is acknowledged about the most dangerous work the soldiers are called upon to do. While at this work a shell burst near him, killing seven of his comrades and wounding eight. He knew nothing for weeks after as he was unconscious, suffering from a shock, which ripped open a cut in his side that had been made a few years ago when under a surgical operation. He also suffered from a number of cuts and bruises which he believes were caused by bricks, stones, etc., thrown about by the shell bursting. He is looking fine at present, but it will take considerable time yet for a complete recovery, and may never be allowed to return to the front.

He says he saw many Gleichen boys and of the number killed the percentage has been very light. He frequently heard of others being quite near that he did not see, in fact he could only see those within a few yards of him. His brother had been three huts from him for sometime but he did not know it until after he had been moved.

On Wednesday night last Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Bates entertained in honor of their youngest son, Frank, and his companions Robert Hunter, Harry Landels and Andy Hansen, who were leaving to join their regiment, Strathcona Horse. A large number of friends met to say au revoir to these young volunteers. A most enjoyable time was spent till the early hours of the morning, when the young bloods entertained the company to a display of fireworks after which most of the company adjourned to the depot and gave the young soldiers a hearty send off. It is reported since that our worthy station agent is on the market to purchase a shot gun. He says his beauty sleep was disturbed for a while before the west bound arrived which was about 40 minutes late.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Gleichen Agricultural Association is called for 8 o'clock Saturday evening in the Town Hall. This is an important meeting and every shareholder should be present to protect his interests and that of the association. There is danger of the grounds being lost and all the good work and money spent will go for naught.

For Monday evening next, June 3rd, Manager Giesbach has secured a real treat in the Opera House, when he will stage "The Fall of the Robbers" with nine reels and comic reel. You will want to see these.

The United Producing Co. will send Gleichen two more good shows. July 27th "Intolerance" will be staged with thirteen people, but the exact date of the minstrel show with 35 people is not yet set.

The Call delivers job printing at the price it can be obtained anywhere in Canada and you can see the proof before accepting the work.

## Gleichen Defeats Bassano 6 to 9

On Wednesday evening of last week a good crowd witnessed one of the best and most evenly matched baseball matches ever played on the Gleichen diamond, the game being between Bassano and the local nine. The result of a 6-9 score in favor of Gleichen was a real surprise both to the players and routers as it was the first time the local boys got together this season.

Bassano went to bat first when Furlatt scored in the first inning and Summerville in the third, and it began to look favorable for the visitors as it was not until the third the locals counted, Jack McArthur and Geo. Mace scoring and Dr. McIntyre eving the score in the fourth. In fifth Fortier added another for visitors, while Babe McArthur and Tyler gave Gleichen the lead. In the sixth neither sides scored, but Furlatt counted for Bassano in the seventh and Jack McArthur followed suit, while Allstott and Bob McArthur made up the 9 for Gleichen in the eighth. Pennes added one in the eighth for Bassano, but they could not score any in the ninth the game ended.

B. Payne proved a very satisfactory umpire, assisted on bases by C. D. Solberg.

The best of feeling was maintained throughout the game and when the two teams met again an interesting match is assured.

Monday a carload of fine looking young trees arrived in Gleichen and the farmers and others are now busy planting them. These trees are from J. A. McDonald's nursery at Lacombe.

Some of our farmers are trying to revive interest in the Gleichen Exhibition and a meeting may be called very shortly to re-organize the association with a view to holding a fair this year. It can be done if all will only help a little, and it should be done for we have everything necessary to make it a grand success; indeed, no district in this fair province of Alberta has more to show than Gleichen agriculturalists. We have lost our government grant this year mainly for the reason that our last fair was short in livestock exhibits, but if we show up well this year there is no reason to doubt the government will be ready to give us a grant for next year. Talk it over with your neighbor and see if you cannot rouse an interest in the fair.

Victoria Day passed quietly in Gleichen most people remaining in doors, owing to the cold rain and snow and high wind. In the afternoon a big crowd took in the moving pictures and in the evening a fair number attended the dance, where a very enjoyable evening was passed. The weather was most disappointing particularly for the children as it spoiled the many picnics they had arranged for. It also disappointed a great number of young people who planned to attend the Cluny dance, although quite a number braved the elements and report having most thoroughly enjoyed themselves and a big crowd in attendance. However, no doubt our Cluny friends will supply the report of their first big event.

Mrs. Charles Riches and Miss Dobson, of Calgary, have been visiting their friends, Mr. and Mrs. P. Lloyd.

Watch Gleichen grow. Born—On Thursday, May 23rd, 1918—twins—a boy and girl, to Mr. and Mrs. Goodworth.

Rev. Brooks of Bassano or Rev. Young of Morningside will occupy the Presbyterian pulpit next Sunday morning and evening.

Get your pictures framed. See G. W. Evans.

## Craigantler Red Cross Drive Brings \$379.25

On the 24th, to wind up the local Red Cross drive that had been in progress for several weeks past, a combined auction sale, social evening and dance was held in Craigantler school house.

The energetic secretary, Miss West, had laid the plans with profound strategic skill and with a willing band of collectors had been able to get contributions either in cash or kind from most of the people solicited. Mr. L. H. Lavriksen very willingly donated a fine beaver on which he himself guaranteed a fair cost price and Mr. C. Hansen gave a two-year-old colt, others gave two pigs, so with livestock, tobacco, sewing, cooking and hand wrought goods of various descriptions the efforts of the collectors were obvious to all.

H. C. Sutton officiated as auctioneer and making allowances for the unfavorable weather did all that a knight of the gavel could be expected to do.

The refreshments were very ably handled by Mrs. Matson, while Mrs. F. Dankworth was untiring in her efforts and no small credit is due to her for her driving force.

Mr. H. Dankworth and Miss McMillan won the prize for proficiency in the terpsichorean art although they were so closely seconded by Mr. and Mrs. W. Service that some thought that the reward should be divided.

Our well known female impersonator, J. Seasted, of Standard, was there in characteristic costume. We had visitors from Gleichen, Calgary and Cluny.

Mr. Bob McArthur and party arrived rather late but their presence lent an air of conviviality to the scene sadly lacking in these days.

Owing to the kindness of Mr. N. McMillan and daughter, who provided the excellent music without fee or price, there was no expense charged to the affair and the auditors are prepared to show that every cent received, either in cash or for sale of donated goods, goes direct to the Red Cross funds, making a total of \$379.25. Furthermore, there are a few outstanding accounts west of here not yet turned in which we expect will increase our total by \$15. Considering the inclemency of the weather we are satisfied, though there is not much doubt that a finer night would have swelled the receipts considerably.

In conclusion the local society wishes to emphasize its gratitude to all those who gave so freely of their time and energy in making it a success.

Doctor Shovelton is experimenting on a new kind of field pea. Watch results.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen McPhee are happy over the arrival of a fine baby girl on Tuesday night.

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## Letter from Pte. E. P. Tostevin's Lieut.

The appended is copied from the Guernsey Star and will be read with interest by the many Gleichen friends of our brave young soldier, who volunteered from here several times before he was accepted and went overseas. Evidently his officers were not long in discovering in "Tos" the same fine principles we learned to love and respect him for in Gleichen:

Mrs. Peter Tostevin, Buttes View St Peter's has received a letter of condolence from Lieut. Hugh A. Dickenson, who was his officer: "Dear Mrs. Tostevin:—Before you receive this you will have been notified of your son's death. As his platoon officer I just want to write you a line of sympathy in your bereavement and tell you of the esteem in which he was held by myself and all the boys. Without the least exaggeration I have never met a finer spirited man—true as steel and generous to a fault."

"The location of his grave will be forwarded to you later. Our Capt. Clark read the burial service over him. It was a hard blow to me and to the boys of the platoon because he was without a doubt the best man we had. He was killed at 12 o'clock on Easter Sunday, just as he stepped into his post relieving another man. His section commander was killed at the same time and another man wounded. The shell landed right along side of him and he was killed instantaneously. His body was carried out and buried with a lot of our other boys."

"In closing let me again express my sincerest sympathy to you. Such a gallant son must have had a brave mother, but it is hard on ones left behind. As for himself he has done the greatest service a man can do by dying for his country and he is reaping his reward. I cannot give you too high a tribute of the personal character. I am going to visit Guernsey some time if I am spared and will visit you."

Pte. Tostevin left here for Canada 13 years ago last March and was on leave here about a month ago.

You will find every up-to-the-minute Gleichen business man advertising in the Call.

## Tenders For Painting Pioneer School

Tenders will be received by the undersigned, up until June 13rd, 1918, for painting the outside walls and staining the roofs of the Pioneer school, teachers shack and outbuildings. Size of school building 24x40 and size of shack 10x16. Any other information needed can be obtained from the Trustees or Secretary.

Mrs. M. L. McCabe, Secretary, Milo, Alberta.

## Change in Train Service

Effective June 2nd, 1918, there will be a general change in train service. Times for trains at Gleichen will be:

EASTBOUND DAILY No. 14, 12.25 a.m. No. 4, 4.40 p.m.

WESTBOUND DAILY No. 13, 2.50 a.m. No. 3, 3.52 p.m.

For further particulars apply to J. E. Proctor,

District Passenger Agent, Calgary.

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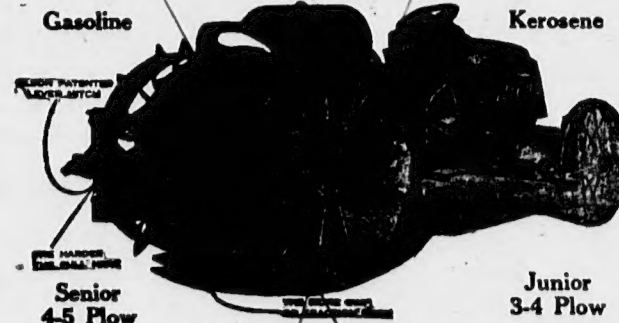
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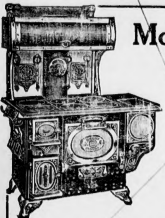
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## MILITARY SERVICE ACT, 1917

**PUBLIC NOTICE** is hereby given that, by the effect of the regulations of the Governor General of Canada in Council of the 20th of April, 1918, and the Proclamation of 4th May, 1918, recently published, every male British subject resident in Canada, born on or since the 13th of October, 1897, who has attained or shall attain the age of 19 years and who is unmarried or a widower without children must, (unless he is within one of the classes of exemptions mentioned in the schedule of Exemptions to the Military Service Act) report as hereinafter directed on or before the 1st day of June, 1918, or within ten days after his 19th birthday, whichever date shall be the latter.

Such report must be in writing and must give name in full, the date of his birth and his place of residence and also his usual post office address.

**NOTE:** The men required to report should address their reports as follows:

**ONTARIO:** To the Deputy Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, London, if they reside in the County of Essex, Kent, Lambton, Elgin, Middlesex, Oxford, Waterloo, Wellington, Perth, Huron, or Bruce.

**AL.** To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Toronto, if they reside in the County of Lincoln, Welland, Hamilton, Niagara, York, Durham, Brant, Peel, York, Ontario, Grey, Dufferin, Brimley, or the Districts of Muskoka, Manitowish, and Nipissing north of the Township of Mattawa and Nipissing south of the Township of Mattawa.

**QUEBEC:** To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Montreal, if they reside in the County of Quebec, or the Districts of Beauport, Saguenay, Gaspé, and Lévis. To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Quebec, if they reside in the County of Montserrat, or the Districts of Montserrat, Saguenay, Gaspé, and Lévis.

**MANITOBA:** To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Winnipeg, if they reside in the County of Assiniboia, or the Districts of Assiniboia, Brandon, and Winnipeg. To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Brandon, if they reside in the County of Assiniboia, or the Districts of Assiniboia, Brandon, and Winnipeg.

The report must be addressed to the Registrar or Deputy Registrar under the Military Service Act of the Registration District in which he resides (see below) and must be sent by registered post, for which no Canada postage is required.

Young men so reporting will not be placed on active service till further notice. They must, however, notify the appropriate Registrar or Deputy Registrar of any change of residence or address.

On receipt of the report an identification card will be forwarded by the Registrar which will protect the bearer from arrest.

Personal compliance with these requirements is of great importance to those affected. Failure to report within the time limited will expose the delinquent to severe penalties and will in addition render him liable to immediate apprehension for Military Service.

ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE,  
MILITARY SERVICE BRANCH, 15th day of May, 1918.

**TO THE DEPUTY REGISTRAR UNDER THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT, 1917, QUEBEC:** if they reside in the County of Beauport, Saguenay, Gaspé, and Lévis.

**TO THE REGISTRAR UNDER THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT, 1917, TORONTO:** if they reside in the County of Lincoln, Welland, Hamilton, Niagara, York, Durham, Brant, Peel, York, Ontario, Grey, Dufferin, Brimley, or the Districts of Muskoka, Manitowish, and Nipissing north of the Township of Mattawa and Nipissing south of the Township of Mattawa.

**TO THE REGISTRAR UNDER THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT, 1917, MONTREAL:** if they reside in the County of Quebec, or the Districts of Beauport, Saguenay, Gaspé, and Lévis.

**TO THE REGISTRAR UNDER THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT, 1917, WINNIPEG:** if they reside in the County of Assiniboia, or the Districts of Assiniboia, Brandon, and Winnipeg.

## Gleichen Subscribes \$9,170.35 to The Y. M. C. A. Fund

Collected by	
Thos Henderson and T. H. Beach	
A Argue	\$ 1.00
J. H. Brubaker	1 00
A Young	1 00
Clayton Shatto	3 00
A Kietman	1 00
C. D. Harris	5 00
R. Burr	5 00
J. McLean	5 00
S. Bagley	5 00
J. Burr	5 00
W. J. Turner	5 00
Joe Kingsborough	5 00
G. M. Eason	10 00
W. T. Mooney	10 00
G. W. Shambarger	10 00
M. C. Miller	10 00
F. Netley	10 00
Frederick Shuter	10 00
D. Kingsborough	10 00
H. R. Patterson	10 00
O. C. Tigner	25 00
H. E. Brown	25 00
J. L. Butler	25 00
M. H. Ward	25 00
A. L. Ingraham	25 00
E. Patterson	25 00
C. McVie	50 00
Frank T. Hill	200 00
R. L. Haskayne	5 00
R. H. Burr	5 00
Total	\$928 00

Collected by	
J. A. Ramsay and W. T. Kiley	\$ 50 00
A. T. Tadpole	15 00
C. B. Hyndman	15 00
W. A. Tyler	5 00
M. W. Selverger	10 00
S. C. Hunking	5 00
The Call	25 00
H. Brown	25 00
J. H. Walla	25 00
H. Calcutt	5 00
E. A. Tadpole	5 00
J. B. James	50 00
R. J. J. J.	5 00
A. A. Davis	10 00
D. E. Kramer	50 00
Frank McKay	100 00
M. E. Ball Larkin	25 00
T. H. Beach	25 00
Matthew & Kidney	100 00
Anthony Reid	50 00
F. L. Mallory	50 00
G. P. McLeod	50 00
Misses McArthur	50 00

J. A. Menard	5
F. N. Lett	10
Wm. Strack	20
R. M. Shaback	5
W. W. Brown	50
A. W. Thompson	10
Dr. G. H. Farquharson	50
J. A. Ramsay	100
E. W. Farnham	5
Miss Odessa Walter	2
Miss Trevaux	1
Miss Agnes Miller	1
Joe McPhee	10
Karl in Pader	5
Wong Tail	5
O. Deardorff	10
Knoll Greenleaf	10
J. A. Ramsay	10
W. P. Finkler	2
S. Richardson	10
Ken Goss	2
Katie Mallen	10
Bing Goss	10
C. C. McIntyre	25
S. A. Hall	50
Leslie & Gillian	10
Geo. F. Taylor	25
W. G. Gourlay	10
W. F. Collins	50
Thos Henderson	50
R. Bamsbottom	50
Miss Lila Bewhaver	10
Staff and Pupils Gleichen School	103 10
Miss Lewis	10
W. T. Scott	10
T. W. Bates	25
Mrs. F. J. Hogg	5
V. Baskin	5
W. R. McKie	500
Geo. W. Evans	20
Frank Ledoux	5
Dave Vale	5
Joe Cameron	25
Mr. Day	2
John McLean	10
M. Murray	5
Miss Gooderham	5
Sam J. Brown	15 50
George Hunter	5
Wong Long	5
Miss Fode	5
Dr. Wm. Ross	50
See Wing	5
E. Kelly	10
Dan McLeod	5
Wm. McConnell	10
P. Lloyd	1
C. J. Bullif	1
W. J. Hill	1
Matt Leggett	10
T. Broun	2
H. G. Bates	1
B. Biddle	1
E. Barclay	1
F. L. Merritt	1
K. Heath	1
F. Dupont	1
Mrs. Ringer	5
Miss Emma Frankton	5
Miss E. F. Soeven	5
Neil Campbell	5
Mrs. A. Jordan	1
Harry Hamer	5
D. B. Harrison	1
Miss Thelma Ingraham	2
Frank Big Old Man	1
E. Conn	5
P. Kelly	5
Dave Young	5
G. H. Hill	1
Total	\$1,400 00

Collected by	
Glen Henson and G. T. Jones	\$ 10 00
Mrs. Maggie Hill	50 00
R. Hill	50 00
T. B. Scott	50 00
H. Scott	50 00

Total	
Collected by W. D. Trago	\$ 115 00
Chris Bartlett	200 00
Geo. Biddle	100 00
S. Rendall	50 00
T. A. Eisebille	50 00
J. T. Barr	50 00
E. C. Bowman	25 00
W. R. Daughine	25 00
E. R. Mulberry	25 00
J. D. Lott	10 00
Greene Hoop	10 00
G. E. Buren	10 00
T. D. Mehrens	10 00
C. Brown	10 00
W. D. Trago	100 00
M. H. Trago	100 00
C. E. White	50 00
Sam Larsen	50 00
Axel Hansen	20 00
Chas. Clements	50 00
E. Murphy	25 00
Geo. Donahue	50 00
Joe Nee	14 00
Joe Smith	10 00
John Smyth	10 00
G. V. Thomas	10 00
G. M. Thomas	10 00
Chas. Carlson	10 00
Frank Arries	10 00
J. E. Brucker	25 00
A. W. Brucker	25 00
H. R. Lewis	10 00
T. A. Kelly	25 00
Joe McPhail	25 00
J. E. Smith	20 00
A. W. Field	10 00
T. H. Harkness	10 00
M. C. Sharp	10 00
Geo. E. Lott	5 00
Brown's Transfer	50 00
W. E. Ophman	5 00
M. Henry	5 00
E. E. Holland	5 00
E. T. Sherman	5 00
T. D. Smith	5 00
A. E. Hartstone	10 00
M. Bryson Scott	150 00
Harold Daus	100 00
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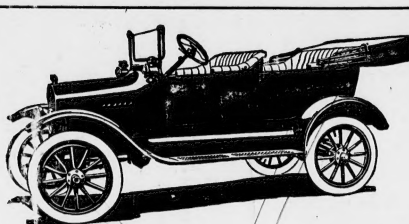
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(Continued.)

"Come in," he said. Barthelmy walked in with a sigh. He had hurried himself into a great fur-lined coat before he left his own premises, and had twisted a neckerchief about his throat; he undid the neckerchief and unbuttoned the coat, still sighing, while his host shut the three doors which stood between the sitting room and the stairs.

"I knew you'd come," remarked King quietly, as he turned to his guest. "Take that chair—you'll find it the most comfortable," he went on, pointing to one which, of heavy build and construction, was set on the hearth, exactly facing the ugly image on the table. "And have a cigar and a drink. Brandy—eh? You look a bit—white—eh?"

Barthelmy sat heavily in the chair and glanced at the contents of the table. His bushy eyebrows drew together in a frown as his glance fell on the image, and King laughed. "Yes, brandy—and soda," replied Barthelmy. "A good dose, if you please."

"Yes—that's it," asserted King. "Nothing like it—if your nerves have got a bit upset. There you are, Barthelmy. You're all right here—nobody could get at you here unless I chose. This is a castle—eh?"

He looked critically at Barthelmy as the fugitive drank deeply of the contents of the big glass. Barthelmy grimaced.

"I'm obliged to you," he said. "I—how did you know? You'd heard something, then?"

"Heard something," asserted King. "Yes. You know, I've a penchant for knowing all I can get to know about the queer things in London life, and I have a friend or two in the police force who occasionally puts me up to interesting matters. So I heard of this, and I was just in time, it seems, to get you away."

"Ah!" exclaimed Barthelmy, looking up eagerly. "So—it is a raid?"

"To be sure. A good, serious raid. They'll explore every nook and cranny of your three places down there, Barthelmy," replied King easily, as if he were communicating pleasant tidings. "I'm afraid you've finished business there, you know."

Barthelmy snarled and his long white fingers began to work.

"If I only knew who had given the thing away!" he said bitterly. "If I only knew—only knew—"

"You'd give 'em something handsome, I suppose?" laughed King. "Well, but, you know, all these affairs come to an end. You're bound to be given away, sometime. Usually it's the very folk you wouldn't suspect. Now, where's that German friend of yours, tonight—von Roon?"

Barthelmy growled. Then he spoke his voice seemed to have become thick and his tones difficult to produce.

"Von Roon!" he exclaimed. "Von

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Roon—why, he is a partner of mine. You don't suspect him?"

"I should always suspect partners," answered King. Barthelmy groaned and pushed his empty glass across the table, signing to King to refill it.

"More, please," he said. "I'm all broken up. What a loss! What a magnificent business, ruined!"

"Perhaps you'll start another elsewhere," suggested King with a smile. "Yes, some other country, eh? A far-away country, Barthelmy, eh?"

Barthelmy drank again—deeply—and took one of the cigars which his host offered him.

"I don't like leaving England," he said. "And I won't go out of Europe."

"Needs must where the devil drives," remarked King cheerily. "Maybe you'll have to. Excuse me a moment."

He disappeared into an inner room, and Barthelmy drew smoke from his cigar and drank his brandy and soda and let his big head drop forward on his chest and stared at the fire, and shed a tear or two of great compassion for himself. He was a fugitive, a wanderer, an outcast—a largely well-to-do one, doubtless, but still, driven out. This was certainly a very pleasing preliminary refuge, however, and the fire was alluring, and the easy chair most comfortable. He was quite conscious of that soothing fact one moment; the next moment he was not conscious of anything, for he had fallen fast asleep.

Barthelmy woke with a start, dreaming that someone had suddenly plunged him head foremost into a tub of icy cold water. He jumped in his chair and found himself unable to move. And then he discovered that he was bound hand and foot in that chair; that nothing of him but his head was free, and that over the polished dome of that head Banister King had just discharged the contents of a large bath, sponge, trickles and dribbles of which were now running freely down his neck and bosom. He stared and gasped and made inarticulate sounds as King tossed the big sponge away.

"No use squirming," squalling, screaming, Barthelmy, observed King. "The police didn't get you—they weren't clever enough—but I've got you—I'm a good deal cleverer than the police. And there you are, and here I am—and now we'll come to business."

Barthelmy's brain had cleared under the application of the water. He took sharp stock of his surroundings. That he was firmly secured to the heavy chair he knew at once; that he was completely in his host's power he instantly surmised. But he was not just then so much concerned with these two facts as with some other. There, immediately in front of him, propped up at the foot of that ugly, diabolical image, King had placed a large photograph of Richard Avory. And, on a sheet of paper in front of it, lay the phial which Barthelmy had brought away with him from his own house. King had taken it out of his pocket and laid it there immediately before his eyes.

"You're beneath the picture of your victim, Why? The sweat started out on Barthelmy's forehead, and in spite of himself he groaned. And on that King laughed, as with genuine pleasure.

"Nothing that I could hear in the form of music," he said, "could give me such genuine delight as that, my good Barthelmy. Let me hear you groan, moan, sob, sigh, weep, implore—it will rejoice me!"

Barthelmy checked himself in the beginning of another groan. He became, quite suddenly, very cool; he regained possession of his faculties at their calmest. He could not move a hand or a foot, scarcely a toe or a finger, but he could move his head, and he held it up sternly and looked fixedly at his captor.

"You are a vile scoundrel!" he ejaculated. "A villain!"

King laughed again. He had been mixing a drink for himself, and now, having got it to his satisfaction, he lighted a cigarette, sipped at his glass, and perching his lanky figure on the edge of the table, swung his long legs contentedly and looked with amused enjoyment at his prisoner.

"On the contrary," he said. "I am a good gentleman. I am a faithful friend, even to the dead; I am an implacable enemy to the living. You don't understand that, Barthelmy? Let me explain. This man, Richard Avory, is dead. You murdered him. Therefore I hate you, and—"

"You mean to murder me," said Barthelmy calmly. "To murder me in cold blood. You are worse than a scoundrel. You are a liar. You inveigled me into your rooms—on the pretence of giving me shelter and hospitality. You begin by drugging me—you mean to end by killing me. You have an English word—short, very short—which expresses you, Mr. Banister King. Call!"

(To Be Continued.)

## What Women Want to Know

Some Queries and Answers Regarding Conservation of Food

Miss Prudence. Yes, all the trades are rapidly coming under license. On April first the licenses became operative for wholesale grocers, wholesale grocery commission agents and wholesale grocery brokers. On May first they become operative for retail grocers and on May 15 for retail butchers, bakers, produce dealers, flour and feed dealers, fruit and vegetable dealers and fish dealers. This is going to be a source of protection to the women in the home, as constant surveillance will be exercised over the dealer, and he will naturally be more careful than he has been in the past. Every licensee can be made on request to disclose his account books for the year. Where it is considered that undue profits are being made, the license can be cancelled, and with the entire trade of Canada under license it will be a case of "no license no business." Further than that, the sanitary conditions and equipment must be satisfactory before the retailer will be granted a license. Any woman can see the immense advantage to her of this kind of supervision. The honest dealer will not suffer—the fee he will have to pay is merely nominal. Co-operation between the grocer and the housewife is of the greatest importance at the present time, and by pulling together much can be saved in time, energy and money.

Miss Roberta. Why not take for your guidance the new regulations which have gone out governing public eating houses? In every home they might be adopted as voluntary rules. That is to say—beef and veal may be served at evening meal only and on Wednesday and Friday none at all shall be served. At the mid-day meal each day not more than one ounce of wheat or product of wheat shall be served; and at every meal where white bread is served, substitutes, such as cornbread, oatcakes, etc., shall be served.

Except under special license from the food board no public eating place shall serve to any person more than one ounce of wheat bread or any product made wholly or in part from wheat flour, between 10 a.m. and 11:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 6 p.m., 9 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. Sandwiches made from white bread and pork, beef or veal may only be served at railway lunch counters to bona fide travellers. Other public eating places shall not serve sandwiches during the mid-day meal, or shall they serve sandwiches with fillings of beef, veal or pork during the hours and days that these meats are prohibited. Bread shall not be placed on tables until the first course is served. No one person can be served with more than two ounces of wheat bread or rolls, or other product made from standard flour, or four ounces of bread or other product made from bran, corn, oat, barley or other flour at any one meal. Except in railway trains and steamships bread shall be twelve hours old before being served. The serving of bread, except under poached eggs as a garnish in any form, is prohibited and wheat flour dumplings in pot pies, meat stews or soups may not be served.

Meat and game shall not be served in larger amounts than the following portions for each person:

Beef, 8 ounces; veal, 6 ounces; mutton and lamb, 6 ounces; fresh pork, 6 ounces; pickled pork, 6 ounces; venison and other wild meats, 8 ounces; bacon, 4 ounces; ham, 4 ounces.

Only one serving, composed of meat or other flesh or fowl shall be served to any person at any meal. A severe penalty will be imposed for any violation of these laws insofar as eating houses are concerned.

Cora. Yes, I can supply you with the information you want about the Quebec Home-Makers Clubs. They are planning to organize all the girls in their respective communities. These girls organizations, in conjunction with the Quebec Home-Makers Clubs, will assist in the production and conservation of food. By growing vegetables in home gardens and on vacant lots, by canning all perishable vegetables, by picking and canning fruit, by helping in the production of maple sugar, by making soap for laundry purposes out of bones and fats not used for food and by encouraging the "Keep a Pig" and "Grow more Wheat" campaigns.

Bowmanville. Do you use stews as much as you might in the course of your substitution campaign? Do you know how good they are? They may be so varied that you can have a different one every day in the week and all of them delicious. It needs only a small piece of meat to give flavor to a hearty dish. It's a mistaken idea that you must eat a lot of meat to be strong. Meat helps to build up the body but so do many other foods and a little meat with vegetables and cereals gives the body what it needs. All kinds of stews are cooked in just about the same way. Here are directions

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equalled by another shoe manufacturer anywhere in the world. This concern, if located in the United States, would rank as one of the twelve largest out of some two thousand shoe manufacturers there.

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—it requires—the maintenance of six large distributing branches in principal cities from coast to coast, and in these are carried over a million dollars worth of stock, ready for quick delivery to retailers.

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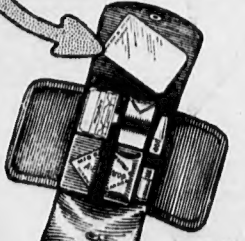
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Cut the meat in small pieces and brown with the onion in the fat cut from the meat. Add the seasoning, two quarts of water and the rice, or other cereal, if it is to be used. Cook for an hour, then add the vegetables except potatoes. Cook the stew for half an hour, add the potatoes cut in quarters, cook for another half an hour, and serve. Left-over or canned vegetables need only to be heated through. Add them fifteen minutes before serving. Dried peas or beans should be soaked over night and cooked for three hours before adding to the stew.

## U. S. Super Guns Better Than Huns'

With Range of Sixty Miles Has Far Greater Mobility

With a range of approximately sixty miles, a tremendous advantage in mobility, and the use of a projectile of greater diameter and weight than that of the German super-gun, which has been bombarding Paris, the giant long-range cannon now under construction "somewhere near Philadelphia" is called a greater military asset than the Browning machine gun.

The greatest advantage of this new gun is its mobility. American ordnance experts have learned that the celebrated seventy-five mile gun of the Germans cannot be moved readily, as it is solidly embedded in a concrete emplacement. The force of the charge of explosive makes it necessary to build the weapon so that its angle of fire cannot be raised or lowered. The new American gun can be moved from place to place, and also can be moved on its carriage base. The calibre of the shell will be at least an inch larger than that of the German gun, which is 9.2 inches.

The factory where this new weapon is being built is probably the best guarded in the United States. Every workman employed is known to the officials in charge of the work, having been carefully chosen on the strength of his antecedents and record.

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## Conditions in Austria

Coffee Made From Left-over Dried Apple Refuse

An Irish girl, who has hitherto been a governess in an Austrian family in Vienna during the war, says that the food riots during the recent strike in Vienna caused great anxiety among all the wealthier families. The girl declares that for breakfast, she had coffee made of apple refuse left over from cider and dried. As solid food she had a slice of black bread, and with luck, some jam, but no fats, margarine, or the like were to be had for love or money. Dinner consisted of preserved eggs, barley soup, kohlrabi, and a little meat. Wine could always be got. For supper she had barley soup and a slice of bread. As for clothes, everything was very dear. A suit of men's clothes cost £35 and a pair of boots from £6 to £7. Stockings were made of nettle fibres and other materials and cost £1 10s. She also used bootlaces of paper. The girl describes the condition of the work classes as very bad, in spite of high wages, and says that they attribute their misery to England—a view they are taught to take.

## Don't Waste the Saved Hour

Just because you are going to get an extra hour of daylight is no reason why you should spend it foolishly.—Chicago Herald.



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## When Riley Was a Boy

Indiana Poet Was Far from a Model Pupil in Boyhood Days

Young Riley did not get on well at school, particularly in arithmetic. "Little children came and little children went, but I stuck there in the first class in numbers," he said. "I was always a good reader, only reading counted for little in those days." A significant incident of his boyhood was running away from school when "The Death of Little Nell" was the lesson. "It was a matter of eternal wonder to me," he said, "how the other children could go strong voiced and dry eyed through those tragedies that almost broke my heart."

The earliest letter that we have shows him as not the most promising boy in the community. Sixteen found him out of school, "truanting up and down old Brandywine" or lost in Longfellow, Troubridge or Dickie's. "I read them all day long," he said. From his reading of literature, Riley was to secure his real education. Among the townspeople, "Jim" Riley came to be known as a "do-lens" kind of a boy who was "wasting his youth." Manual industry was to the early Hoosier settlers a duty idealized, and to them idling was a sin more reprehensible than drunkenness or blasphemy. "An idler is the sure quarry of the devil," ran the old saying. The boy was not what to so many of his townspeople he seemed to be; they were not aware of a world of dreams and hopes behind his mischievous blue eyes. The youthful Riley learned to play the guitar and "fiddle." He sang, gave readings at church benefits, and in his time acted in heroic parts. He drew well, but for work with his hands he had little liking or aptitude. It was not strange then, that he earned "a bad name." This word from an early letter shows a plaintive reaction from the superficial judgment!

"\*\*\*\*\* Your father forbids your associating with me. Well, with his understanding of my character, he did what was right. Well, so long as he thinks me a mean boy, just so long you must abide his law, for he thinks it for your good. Sometime, maybe, I can show him my real character. \*\*\*\*\*"

And so he loitered his time away along the creeks, or won applause in amateur theatricals, or, with one eye half asleep, poked his face curiously into interesting happenings of the town.—E. H. Eitel, in Harper's.

## Daylight Gaining

Trading Off an Hour of Darkness For One of Daylight

A correspondent who says that he meets many people who fail to see the true purpose and effect of daylight saving, suggests that it be called, not daylight saving, but daylight gaining. "That better describes it. We have not been getting the daylight that was coming to us. It was there all the time, but we were not making use of it, owing to the fact that the day and the daylight were very crookedly adjusted the one to the other. The waking man is going to trade off an hour of dark to the sleeping man for an hour of daylight, and it is a good trade for both of them. The correspondent's suggestion is a good one in another way, for people are readier to listen if you talk to them of gain than if you suggest saving. Let us add the words of the poet:

"The best of all ways To lengthen your days Is to steal a few hours from night, my lad."—Toronto Star.

## Putting It Mildly

"What do you think of my poem on spring?" asked the poet. "To be frank, I don't think it does spring justice," replied the editor.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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